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IN THE UNITED STATES PATENT AND TRADEMARK OFFICE

Applicant : Younes, et al. ) Group Art Unit 2654  
Appl. No. : 09/153,631 )  
Filed : September 15, 1998 )  
For : METHOD AND APPARATUS )  
FOR DYNAMICALLY )  
SWITCHING BETWEEN )  
SPEECH CODERS OF A )  
MOBILE UNIT AS A )  
FUNCTION OF RECEIVED )  
SIGNAL QUALITY )

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Examiner : M. Opsasnick

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 11, 2002

Assistant Commissioner for Patents  
Washington, D.C. 20231

Dear Sir:

In response to the Examiner's Office Action mailed March 11, 2002, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

IN THE CLAIMS:

Please cancel Claim 4 without prejudice or disclaimer.

Attached hereto is a marked-up version of the changes made to Claims 1, 5, 8, 18, 22, 27, 28, 30 and 35. The attached page is captioned: Version With Markings to Show Changes Made, in which the deletions to the amended claims are bracketed and the insertions are underlined. Also attached hereto as Exhibit 1 is a Clean Version of Pending Claims.

Claims 2, 3, 6, 7, 9-17, 19-21, 23-26, 29, 31-34 and 36-38 remain as previously pending. Please amend the following claims as follows:

1. (Twice amended) A wireless communication system comprising:  
a base station which transmits signals;

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